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For: SEMICONDUCTOR INTEGRATED CIRCUIT, METHOD OF CONTROLLING
THE SAME, AND VARIABLE DELAY CIRCUIT

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR § 1.111

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Sir:

In reply to the outstanding Office Action dated September 11, 2003, please
consider the following:

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